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Non-responsive

Response to Amendment

The reply filed on April 9, 2007 is not fully responsive to the prior Office Action because of the following omission(s) or matter(s):

the amendment fails to reply to every ground of objection and rejection in the prior Office action. In particular, the objections made to the claims have not been addressed. The rejection under 35 USC 112, first paragraph to claim 27 has not been addressed. The rejection under 35 USC 112, second paragraph to claims 27 and 29 also has not been addressed. Further, the reply has failed to present arguments pointing out the specific distinctions believed to render claims 1 and 9, including newly presented claims 31 and 32, patentable over any applied references. Note that a general allegation that the claims define a patentable invention without specifically pointing out how the language of the claims patentably distinguishes them from the references does not comply with the requirements of section 37 CFR 1.111. Further, the remarks failed to make reference to the interview held on November 6, 2006.

Since the above-mentioned reply appears to be *bona fide*, applicant is given **ONE (1) MONTH or THIRTY (30) DAYS** from the mailing date of this notice, whichever is longer, within which to supply the omission or correction in order to avoid abandonment. EXTENSIONS OF THIS TIME PERIOD MAY BE GRANTED UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a).

Conclusion

Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to Ernesto Garcia whose telephone number is 571-272-7083. The examiner can normally be reached from 9:30AM-6:00PM. The fax phone number for the organization where this application or proceeding is assigned is 571-273-8300.

If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, Daniel P. Stodola can be reached at 571-272-7087.

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September 14, 2007

Katherine Mitchell
Primary Examiner

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Katherine Mitchell', written over the printed name and title.